

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION AND ABSTRACT

Please amend the paragraph page 5, lines 6-17, as follows:

PROBLEMS TO BE SOLVED

In order to prevent illegitimate use of contents from being spread, however, there is a demand that various kinds of techniques for preventing illegitimate use should be achieved.

Patent Document 1

~~The Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 2002-281013~~As referenced above, patent document 1 is identified as Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 2002-281013, patent document 2 is identified as Japanese Patent Publication No. 3073590, and patent document 3 is identified as Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 09-160492.

Patent Document 2

~~The Japanese Patent Publication No. 3073590~~

Patent Document 3

~~The Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 09-160492~~

Please amend the sub-heading on page 7, line 24 as follows:

EFFECTS OF THE INVENTION

Please amend the paragraph on page 17, lines 2-3, as follows:

FIG. 10 is a structure diagram that shows the structure of the content supply system 20;

Please amend the heading on page 18, line 7, as follows:

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS~~INVENTION~~

Please amend the paragraph on page 19, line 22, page 20, line 7, as follows:

When the recording medium 120 is mounted, the reproduction apparatus 200a owned by the user reads the encrypted content, the encrypted content key, ~~and~~ and the related information from the recording medium 120. The reproduction apparatus 200a judges whether it is acceptable to decrypt the content from the read related information. When it is judged that decryption is acceptable, the reproduction apparatus 200a generates a decrypted content key from the encrypted content key, generates decrypted content using the decrypted content key, and outputs movies or music generated from the generated decrypted content.

Please amend the paragraph on 22, lines 4-10, as follows:

More specifically, like the content server apparatus 500, the ~~reeding-recording~~ reeding-recording apparatus 100 is a computer system that comprises a microprocessor, a ROM, a RAM, a hard disk unit, and the like. The RAM and the hard disk unit each store therein a computer program. The recording apparatus 100 achieves its functions when the microprocessor operates according to the computer programs.

Please amend the sub-heading on page 143, line 10, as follows:

INDUSTRIAL APPLICABILITY